

**PUT YOURSELF INTO THE PICTURE
THIS YEAR AT THE
SIXTH FRIENDS OF OLD
TIME RADIO CONVENTION
OCTOBER 16th & 17th, 1981
BRIDGEPORT, CT. HOLIDAY INN
AND FIND OUT WHAT THESE
PEOPLE ENJOYED LAST YEAR.**

Don't miss the Sixth Annual Friends of Old Time Radio Convention! We'll have the usual great line-up of guests and events, and you can meet your fellow fans from the US and Canada!

GUESTS: (tentative) LON CLARK and CHARLOTTE MANSON (stars of Nick Carter); WALTER B. GIBSON (creator of The Shadow); RAYMOND EDWARD JOHNSON (Inner Sanctum); GRACE MATTHEWS (Shadow); COURT BENSON (Tennessee Jed); ALICE REINHART (Life Can Be Beautiful); ARNOLD MOSS (Against the Storm); LEE ALLMAN (Green Hornet); STEFAN SCHNABEL (Chick Carter); BILL LIPTON, ARTHUR ANDERSON (Let's Pretend); BETTY TYLER KARP (Mr. & Mrs. North); FRANK CARLON (Big Town); NANCY DOUGLASS (Portia Faces Life); SIDNEY SLON (Goldbergs); AUDREY MARSH (Harv & Esther); ANNOUNCERS BOB DIXON (Perry Mason) and GEORGE ANSBERO (Young Widder Brown); ORGANIST ROSA RIO; PRODUCER-DIRECTORS ART HANNA (Just Plain Bill) and IRA ASHLEY (Grand Central Station); SOUND EFFECT ARTISTS BOB PRESCOTT, BOB PRESCOTT, JR. and PETE PRESCOTT; and MIKE WARREN, Connecticut TV & Radio Personality. Announcer BILL OWEN

EVENTS: Times listed are tentative, but will not significantly change by convention time.

Friday, October 16, 1981
3:00PM Convention opens; meet guests and fans as they arrive
6:00PM Cocktail Hour
7:30PM Buffet Dinner
8:30PM Movies, Musical Trivia and Sing-a-long; National Broadcasters Hall of Fame presentation; more.

Saturday Morning and Afternoon, October 17:
Bridge and Port Rooms;
9AM to 3PM, Dealer's Room with over 40 tables

East Room:
10:30 to 12:00: Acting and Sound Effects Workshop
12:00 to 12:45PM: OTR in the Community
12:45 to 1:45PM: Trivia Contest; Prizes!

1:45 to 2:15PM: Video Workshop
2:15 to 2:45PM: Recording Tape and Techniques Workshop

2:45 to 3:45PM: Raymond (your host) Edward Johnson reads Poets "Cask of Amontillado"
3:45 to 4:30PM: Radio Program recreation

West Room:

9:00 to 12:00: Movies
12:00 to 12:15 to 1:15PM: OTR Authors- Meet the people who have written or are writing books on OLD TIME RADIO!

1:15 to 2:15PM: Al Jolson Special- Ed Greenbaum and Herb Goldman of the International Al Jolson Society, Inc. will present this special event on one of entertainment's greatest personalities.
2:15 to 3:15PM: Collecting "Experts" give their views on collecting and are open for questions and answers.

3:15 to 3:45PM: Radio Producers, Directors, and Writers give their favorite anecdotes and helpful hints of their trades.
4:30PM: Panel Discussion with Guests

Saturday Evening, October 17:
5:30 to 7PM: Cocktails- Meet and Mingle with the guests and the fans
7:00PM: Dinner! Radio Program Recreations (in the past we've reunited parts of the casts of FBI IN PEACE AND WAR, SHADOW, MARK TRAIL, COUNTERSPY, OUR GAL-SUNDAY, INNER SANCTUM, FRONT PAGE FARRELL, others)

Convention Fees: Prepaid tickets held at door.
Friday, October 16, all events, \$13/person
Saturday, October 17, afternoon events only: \$5/adult, \$4/child under 16, senior citizens

Saturday, October 17 all events:

\$22/adult, including dinner; \$19/children under 16 and senior citizens, including dinner

Dealers Tables: \$5/table, exclusive of other fees. Limit 3 per dealer.

Hotel: \$38/single, \$42/double. Rooms must be reserved by October 3 with \$25 deposit to ensure space. Otherwise on as available basis. Ask for forms when mailing convention registration.

GETTING THERE: The newly renovated Holiday Inn in Bridgeport is very convenient. By car, take I-95 to Exit 27, Lafayette Blvd. About an hour from NYC. By train, take New Haven line from Grand Central Station. Bridgeport stop is a few blocks from hotel. From airports, take Connecticut Limousine from LaGuardia or Kennedy; leaves every hour and costs about \$18. Rides from NYC: if you can offer a ride to a fellow collector, please let us know. If you need a ride, mention when mailing registration.

For advance registration or further information, write or call:

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Committee: Jay Hickerson & Joe Webb, Co-chairmen; Stu Weiss, Anne Webb, Larry and Julie DeSalvatore, Bob & Carol Witte, Mel Schlank, Richard King; Workshop participants: Brad Gromelski, Don Bayley, Gary Yoggy, Ken Piletic, Gary Kramer, Ron Barnett, Ron and Linda Downey, Tony Tollen, Terry Salomonson